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In each of these classes, prizes in the amount of \$100 for the best article and \$50 for the second best article are offered. In addition, the two winners in each class and any others submitting papers worthy of honorable mention will receive a one-year subscription to *The New York Certified Public Accountant*.

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